

February 10, 2009

Re: Marion and Morrow Counties Congressional Art Contest

Thank you for your interest in the 2009 Congressional Art Contest! Each high school may submit one winner to compete in the county wide contest. The school winner must live in the Fourth Congressional District. The winning art piece must meet the 2009 Art Competition Guidelines available at:

<http://www.jordan.house.gov>

Only the district winner must be framed before it is displayed in the U. S. Capitol. Your entries are not required to be framed prior to judging.

The Palace Theatre will facilitate the judging of the work selected from the Marion and Morrow County high schools. Each high school will select their winning art work by March 31st. The chosen piece must arrive at the Palace, 276 W. Center St., Marion, Ohio by April 1st. Office hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily. If mailing your work, please allow 5 days for delivery. Elaine Merchant will be chairing the committee judging all work. If you would like to gather further information about the judging at the Palace, please feel free to call the box office 740.383.2101 or send questions to elaine@marionpalace.org

The judging of the work will take place Friday April 3rd. All art work will be displayed at the theatre between April 3rd and April 16th. Beginning April 17th, artwork may be picked up at the theatre during normal business hours. You may also include a SASE with your mailed work and we will return it to you the following week.

Thank you for your assistance in promoting this contest. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions regarding the Congressional Art Contest.

Sincerely,

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